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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO 1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted within three months of the filing of the present application.

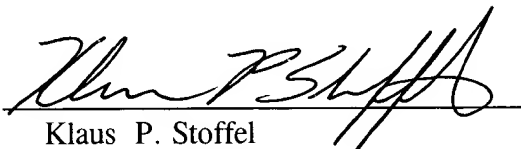
The enclosed references were cited in a foreign application corresponding to the present application.

The present invention defines a specific plastic structural element comprising a plastic material and one or more inserts having length embedded in the plastic material, which is not believed to be disclosed by the enclosed references.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that the copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Respectfully submitted,  
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